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## STATE WORKERS WILL MAKE TALKS AT BANQUET FRIDAY

Committee on the Sale of Tickets for Father and Son Banquet to Be Held Friday Night Begin Their Work—Several Good Addresses Are Promised.

Plans for the Father and Son Banquet at the First Presbyterian church on next Friday evening under the auspices of the state Y. M. C. A. organization are going forward rapidly and every indication now is that the banquet will be a great success in every way and that the fathers and their sons will enjoy a fine evening.

The special committee for the sale of tickets at fifty cents a plate, which is headed by Mr. Maurice Kirk, held a meeting this afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce building and began work at disposing of a large number of these tickets at this very small price and already they have received orders for quite a number without any special effort. The committee will probably canvass the city pretty closely and should dispose of more than 150.

The state Y. M. C. A. Secretary has been asked to furnish at least two state workers as speakers for the banquet and quite a number of local men will also be on the program. The banquet is planned for the fathers and sons to have a good time together and to learn more about each other.

Every father's son and every son's father in Maysville and around about should be in attendance.

## ANOTHER MASON MAN IS SAFE IN RUSSIA

Mr. and Mrs. James Sears, of the county, yesterday received a letter from their son, Private W. T. Sears, stating that he was with the American Expeditionary Forces and now located at Archangel, Russia. It was reported several months ago that young Sears had been fatally wounded in battle.

## BANKS WILL BE CLOSED TOMORROW

All of the banks of Maysville will be closed Wednesday, that being Lincoln's birthday, a National holiday.

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## DELEGATES FROM SEVERAL COUNTIES ATTEND MEET

Centenary Meeting Held Today at Third Street M. E. Church Is Attended by Large Number of People From Nearby Counties.

The district meeting of Methodist pastors and lay workers at the Third Street M. E. Church this afternoon and this evening has attracted to Maysville quite a number of the Methodist pastors of this section and many of the prominent laymen for organization to prepare for the great centenary movement in the Methodist church.

Although the services did not begin until this afternoon, many of the delegates arrived during the morning and the good ladies of the church served lunch at the church and will serve dinner at six o'clock this evening.

The evening program will be especially interesting and the general public is cordially invited to attend while all members of the Methodist church are urged to be present. At the evening service two district workers from Cleveland, Ohio, will be present and deliver addresses.

## PROMINENT MEN ATTEND MR. COCHRAN'S FUNERAL

Prominent lawyers and politicians from all over Kentucky and Ohio, attended the funeral of Hon. W. D. Cochran at the First Presbyterian church this afternoon. Hon. John Galvin, Mayor of Cincinnati, headed a delegation of prominent Cincinnati and Covington lawyers. Colonel John Skain, manager of the Phoenix Hotel, Lexington, and Hon. R. C. Stoll, of Lexington, were present. Judge W. C. Halbert, Judge Sam J. Pugh, Judge Harvey Parker, Col. C. L. Tannan and Mr. J. R. Pugh, of Vanceburg and Messrs. H. L. Corlis, John Kearns, H. C. Metcalfe, J. E. Pogue and H. P. Willis, of Brooksville, besides many others.

## TEACHERS' TRAINING CLASS HOLDS MEETING TONIGHT

The regular weekly meeting of the Community Teachers' Training Class will be held this evening at the usual hour at the Christian church and all who are taking the course are urged to attend. Visitors are invited and those who are teaching and are not taking the course should attend tonight and enroll for the regular course.

## NEW BANK OF MAYSVILLE WILL OCCUPY BUILDING NOW USED

Directors of New Merged Bank of Maysville Change Their Plans and Will Greatly Improve Present Quarters of Bank of Maysville.

It became known today that the new Bank of Maysville formed by the merging of the present Bank of Maysville and the First-Standard Bank will occupy the building on the South side of West Second street now occupied by the Bank of Maysville instead of the banking house of the First-Standard Bank. This conclusion has just been reached after a careful consideration of the contemplated changes.

It is now decided that the beautiful banking house of the Bank of Maysville will be altered and enlarged so that this house can be occupied by the large new institution and the banking room of the First-Standard Bank will be turned into a store room and leased for some large retail business.

It is the purpose of the directors to widen the front of the Bank of Maysville building on the East side so that the building will join the Odd Fellows' building now occupied by Hechinger & Company. The second floor of this building will also be used by the bank and the building will be extended in the rear so as to give plenty of room for the large institution.

The Bank of Maysville has at present the most beautiful bank fixtures in this section of the state of Kentucky and the most modern and beautiful bank vault in the entire state. These will be used but the vault will probably be moved back farther to the rear of the building and the rooms on the second floor of the building will be used as private offices and directors' rooms.

Architects from Louisville have been in Maysville for the purpose of drawing plans for the proposed change in the Bank of Maysville's building and also for making certain changes in the First-Standard Bank building to make that large banking room into a first-class store room.

The First-Standard bank room properly altered will make one of the best business houses in the entire city. It is large and located in the heart of the retail business district.

A meeting of the stockholders of both the Bank of Maysville and the First-Standard Bank will be held during the first part of the month of March when all plans will be completed. Articles of incorporation of the new four million dollar bank will be filed within a few days, it is understood.

## GOVERNOR STANLEY MAY NOT FIX EXECUTION DATE

It may be that Governor A. O. Stanley will not fix the date of execution for Lewis Harris, convicted wife murderer, before he leaves office. It was learned here today. It is said that there is now in Louisville a criminal whose case has been decided for several months and the governor has not yet fixed the date of his execution. It is pointed out that Governor Stanley may not want to act on these death sentences.

## C. OF C. MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE IS WORKING

The Membership committee of the Maysville Chamber of Commerce has been working for the past several days among our business men who heretofore have not been members of the organization for this year and they have turned in quite a number of new members to the organization. There are yet a few business men who are reaping the benefits of the organization who should be members.

## PITTING BUILDING IN SHAPE

The Ryder Paint Store is being moved from their location on Market street to the Williams building at West Second and Sutton streets and the building vacated on Market street is being repaired and put in condition for the occupancy of the Steinway Piano Company, who expect to move into the building within the next few days.

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## MANY FOWLS ARE ENTERED IN BIG POULTRY SHOW

Doors on Annual Poultry Show Are Thrown Open and Many Kinds of Fowls Are Represented—Interest Runs High.

The annual Poultry Show of the Mason County Poultry Association opened its doors this morning at the Thomas building in lower Market street with most every breed of chicken represented by beautiful specimens and with interest in the success of the show running high.

While it was not expected that there would be a very great crowd at the show today, there were many people viewing the fowls all morning and during the afternoon, after the funeral of Mr. W. D. Cochran, the room was well filled at times.

Most every fancier of high class poultry was represented in the display and never before has there been such a display of pure breeds in this or any other nearby county.

The show is unique and the displays are arranged well so that every person attending can see all of the chickens from every angle and notice the different breeds' distinguishing characteristics.

While there are a good many pure bred Reds displayed, the Red is not the only thing to be seen for while that breed is the standard for Mason county there are many people who have become so attached to other strains that they have refused to give them up and have made special efforts in raising pure bred stock of other breeds.

The various breeds represented at the show and owners entering them follow:

White Leghorns: J. R. Stevens, George Dodson, Clarence W. Tucker, E. B. Piper and Frank Hunsicker.  
S. C. Anconas: H. P. Purnell, Arthur Cobb and J. H. Hutchinson.  
Rhode Island Reds: Earl Newell, Miss Ella Maley, J. A. Shelton, H. P. Purnell, E. B. Piper, Charles Conrad, Clinton Calvert, T. E. Proctor and Mrs. J. R. Stevens.  
Light Brama: George Dodson.  
Barred Rocks: Mrs. O. L. Bartlett, George Frank, George Dodson, C. W. Tucker and Charles Conrad.  
White Wyandottes: H. G. Watson and George Dodson.  
S. C. B. Minorcas: H. P. Purnell, J. H. Hutchinson and Charles Conrad.  
Black Leghorn—Harry Swisher.  
Muscovy Ducks—Charles Conrad.  
Charles Daly.  
Game Bantams: Gordon Lee Downing.  
Buttercups: Charles Daly.  
Black Langshans: G. B. Holliday.  
Black Game: George Frank.  
White Holland Turkeys: J. R. Stevens.  
Mammoth Bronze Turkeys: Earl Newell.  
White King Pigeon: Frank Barkley, Jr.  
Mondaina Cross Pigeons: Charles Conrad.  
S. S. Hamburgs: Mrs. T. P. Anderson.  
Mr. Leland E. Weaver, Fowl expert from the Kentucky Experiment Station, arrived in Maysville this morning and will deliver daily lectures at the show.

## LOCAL PASTOR TO BE SPEAKER AT STATE MEETING

Dr. B. B. Bailey, pastor of the First Baptist church, has been invited to be one of the lecturers at the annual Baptist Young Peoples' Union Assembly which will be held at Georgetown College, Georgetown, Ky.

## THRONGS FILL THE CHURCH AT FUNERAL OF MR. W. D. COCHRAN

Beautiful Tribute Paid to Life of Prominent Citizen by His Pastor and Friend—City Suspends Business in His Honor.

Never was a greater tribute paid any man in Maysville or Mason county than that paid Hon. W. D. Cochran's memory this afternoon when at the request of Mayor Thomas M. Russell, the city suspended business for an hour.

The First Presbyterian church, where the funeral was held, was well filled by admiring friends long before the time set for the funeral service and when the service was begun every seat in the church was taken, the balcony was filled and all of the standing room in the rear of the church was taken up.

Dr. John Barbour, for several years Mr. Cochran's pastor and very warm personal friend, delivered a great sermon and paid a high tribute to the splendid life Mr. Cochran had lived among us. Choosing one word to express Mr. Cochran, Dr. Barbour said he was loyal and that there was no greater Christian attribute. The sermon was a masterpiece of thought and expression.

Besides the family and the large number of personal friends and admirers, the members of the Mason County Bar, the Grocers' Association and the Directors of the Maysville Chamber of Commerce attended the funeral in a body.

The pall bearers were all members of the family. Mr. Cochran's four brothers, Judge A. M. J. Cochran, Captain Horace J. Cochran, Dr. James H. Cochran and Mr. R. A. Cochran and his two nephews, Mr. John Cochran and Captain Robert Cochran, bore him to his grave.  
The music at the service was beautiful and the floral display was beyond a doubt the most gorgeous ever seen in any Maysville church on any occasion. Floral tributes came from scores of friends in all parts of the state.

The funeral of Mr. W. D. Cochran was held in Maysville and the great loss the citizens of the city felt in his death could be noticed on the streets. During the funeral not a half dozen business houses in the entire city were opened and folks walking on the streets showed plainly in their movements and faces that they were grieved beyond measure.

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## SPRAYING AND PRUNING DEMONSTRATIONS GIVEN

Expert From the State Experiment Station Is Spending the Day in Maysville and Mason County in the Interest of Better Fruit Trees.

At the request of County Agent Geo. Kirk, an expert from the Kentucky State Experiment Station, Lexington, is spending today in Maysville and Mason county giving demonstrations of tree spraying and pruning for the farmers and the city fruit growers.

Several demonstrations were made in orchards in the city but the greater part of the day will be spent in the county where a number of these demonstrations will be given. The expert during the demonstration explains fully to the farmers and the city fruit growers just how pruning and spraying should be done and what chemicals should be used. Besides the direct result to the orchards where the demonstrations are given, there will be much derived from the expert's visit by all who attend the demonstration.

It is expected that the expert can be brought back to Maysville at some future date when more time can be given to such demonstrations and when much more than was accomplished today can be accomplished.

## MRS. KATE GRAY BURIED IN MAYSVILLE TODAY

The body of Mrs. Kate Gray, former resident of Maysville, who died at her home in Cincinnati several days ago, was brought here this morning and taken direct to the Maysville cemetery for burial in the family lot. Several relatives and friends accompanied the body here.

## ALL COUNTY AND CITY OFFICES ARE CLOSED

By orders of County Judge Purnell and Mayor Thomas M. Russell all city and county offices were closed this afternoon from 1:30 until 2:30 o'clock for the funeral of Hon. W. D. Cochran. All city and county officials attended the funeral.

## GREAT INTEREST SHOWN IN MEN'S BANQUET

Considerable interest is being displayed in the Father and Son banquet which will be given on Friday evening at the First Presbyterian church under the auspices of the State Y. M. C. A. The announcement that the charge will only be fifty cents a plate assures a large attendance.

## WOMAN SUFFRAGE IS DEFEATED IN THE SENATE YESTERDAY

Woman Suffrage Meets Its Fourth Defeat in the United States Senate Losing by Only One Vote.

Washington, February 10 — By a margin of one vote equal suffrage met its fourth defeat today in the Senate. Further action at this session is not possible, but advocates announced that the now nearly half a century old campaign for submission of the Susan B. Anthony constitutional amendment to the states would be renewed when the Sixty-sixth Congress convened.

On the final roll call today 55 Senators—one less than the required two thirds—voted for adoption of the resolution, and 29 Senators cast their ballots against it. Comparatively brief debate preceded the vote, which officially killed the resolution adopted by the House on January 10, 1918, by a vote of 274 to 136.

Defeat of the measure was witnessed by crowds of women in the galleries, but there were no demonstrations, and dramatic incidents which have marked previous Senate votes on the question were lacking. Up to the last moment managers of the resolution expressed confidence of winning the one vote they needed, but the opposition held firm.

Senator Pomerene, of Ohio, voted against the resolution, and Senator Harding voted in the affirmative.

Immediately after the vote was announced suffrage leaders issued statements, prepared in advance, criticizing the Senate action and announcing that the fight would be renewed in the next Congress. Supporters of the resolution generally predicted that success would be attained then.

Twenty-four Democrats and 30 Republicans voted for the resolution today, while 18 Democrats and 11 Republicans opposed it. Of the Senators absent and paired, eight were reported in the affirmative and four in the negative, indicating that sentiment of the 96 members stood 63 to 33 in favor of the resolution.

Senator Beckham voted against the measure and Senator Martin was paired with Senator Reed, of Minnesota.

## DISCHARGED FIREARMS ON PUBLIC HIGHWAY

William Fryman was tried Monday in Squire Fred Dresel's court on a charge of discharging fire arms on a public highway and was fined \$5 and costs.

**Our Sixth Week Special**  
A regular twenty-five cent bottle of Our Glycerene Cream for Fifteen Cents.  
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**M. F. Williams Drug Company**  
THIRD STREET DRUG STORE

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**The Perfection Window Ventilator**

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Yours, for well ventilated rooms.  
**MIKE BROWN**  
The Square Deal Man  
of Square Deal Square.

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GOING ON IN FULL BLAST**  
IT WILL BE WORTH YOUR WHILE TO FIND OUT HOW TO RAISE BETTER FOWL. LEARN WHICH CHICKENS PRODUCE THE MOST EGGS IN A YEAR AND THE WAYS TO MAKE YOUR OWN CHICKENS LAY MORE. WITH EGGS SELLING AT TOP NOTCH PRICES, IT WILL PAY YOU TO MAKE YOUR HENS DO DOUBLE DUTY. AND WHILE YOU ARE IN TOWN DROP IN AT THE BIG STORE WHERE YOUR EGG MONEY WILL GO THE FARTHEST.  
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If you respect your money at all, do not buy your tobacco cotton until you have seen our grades and prices. We are the second largest buyers of tobacco cotton in the State of Kentucky and our prices cannot be touched by anyone in town. All we ask of you, is that you come in and see for yourself and we will trust your judgment for the rest. We can save you from 10 to 30 on every yard you buy in every grade of cotton.  
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A beautiful full Louis covered heel, Havana brown kid, three eyelet oxford, and a calf skin dark brown military heel oxford feature the new arrivals. It is time to have your winter shoes repaired. Expert workmanship features our shoe repair work.  
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YOU HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY OF BUYING OUR HIGH GRADE OVERCOATS AT REDUCED PRICES. THIS SEASON'S OPPORTUNITY IS NOW.  
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